

# Travel Protection For Visa Applicants

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# SUMMARY

If **approved** for a visa and then later **denied entry**, we will cover financial losses up to



**USD \$1,000 per person.**  
Restrictions apply\*.

For the purposes of GovAssist, "Travel Protection" for its VIP Concierge service, means protection coverage for expenses incident to planned travel, including only:



**1** Interruption or cancellation of trip or stay, due to the following:

**a)** Denial of entry into the USA by a Customs & Border Patrol (CBP) Officer at Port of Entry (POE).



\*Void if entry is denied because of misrepresentations on an application or due to misleading information.

\*Void if a refund and / or chargeback from your bank has been requested.



# COVERAGE

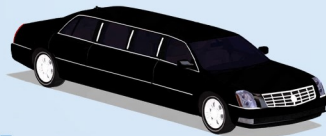
Coverage of up to **USD \$1,000.00**

is provided for the following:

**1** Paid non-refundable travel expenses for the following:



**a)** Air Fare



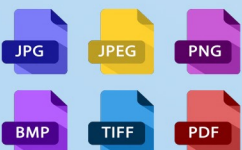
**b)** Land Transportation



**c)** Hotel Reservations / Stay



Please note that receipt of purchase must be provided to the Concierge agent.\*\*



\*\*Receipts may be submitted in digital format as JPG, JPEG, PNG, BMP, TIFF or PDF files. Concierge agent will provide instructions to download files.

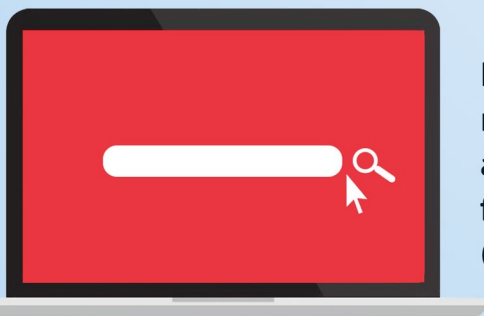


# OVERVIEW



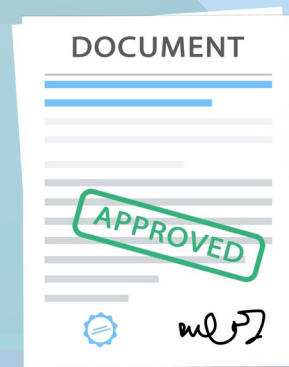
Foreign visitors to the U.S. arriving via air or sea no longer need to complete paper Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Form I-94 Arrival/Departure Record or Form I-94W Nonimmigrant Visa Waiver Arrival/Departure Record. Those who need to prove their legal-visitor status—to employers, schools/universities or government agencies—can access their CBP arrival/departure record information online.

CBP now gathers travelers' arrival/departure information automatically from their electronic travel records. Because advance information is only transmitted for air and sea travelers, CBP will still issue a paper form I-94 at land border ports of entry.



If travelers need the information from their Form I-94 admission record to verify immigration status or employment authorization, the record number and other admission information they are encouraged to get their I-94 Number. (<https://i94.cbp.dhs.gov/i94/#/home>)

Upon arrival, a CBP officer stamps the travel document of each arriving non-immigrant traveler with the admission date, the class of admission, and the date that the traveler is admitted until. If a traveler would like a paper Form I-94, one can be requested during the inspection process. All requests will be accommodated in a secondary setting.





# OVERVIEW



Aliens seeking to lawfully enter into the United States must establish their admissibility to the satisfaction of the CBP officer. This is done as part of the inspection process. The reasons for which traveler who is applying for admission into the United States could be inadmissible are found in INA § 212(a).

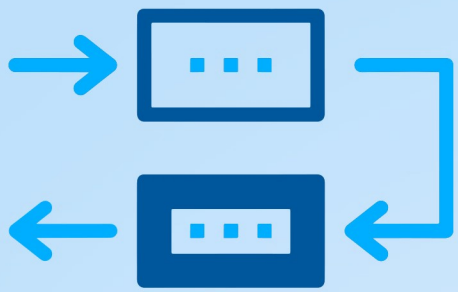
All admittance into the U.S. is determined by a CBP Officer at a port of entry during the application for admission or I-94 permit. As a traveler, be prepared to show the purpose and intent of your travel and evidence of employment and residency during the interview. If admission is denied, CBP will provide information about your available options. There are no refunds, transfers, or exchanges of the I-94 fee. If you are denied entry or removed from the U.S. for any reason, this governmental fee will not be returned.



If a traveler has questions about whether he/she will be deemed admissible to enter the United States, or if there are any concerns about the traveler's admissibility into the USA; then, before travel is arranged, the traveler should seek legal counsel. GovAssist, its agents or subsidiaries, cannot provide legal advice to anyone; neither clients nor members of the public.

If you are determined to be inadmissible by the CBP officer you could, in certain circumstances, be placed into removal proceedings. In some circumstances an officer may, at his or her sole discretion, determine to permit you to withdraw your application for admission. A determination of inadmissibility may have an impact on your future admissibility and may result in the cancellation of your approved visa if you have one.





# PROCEDURE

If your entry into the US is denied by the CBP officer at POE, CBP will provide you with information about your available options. After your requirements and procedures are fulfilled at the POE, you may now contact your VIP Concierge service agent and he/she will begin the process to activate the benefit for your trip protection.



Before your benefit can be activated and funds released, you must do the following:



**1** Contact your airline or other transportation as well as hotel/location where you were scheduled to stay and request any applicable refunds.

**a)** If no refund is applied to you, you may then contact us for assistance with a claim.



**2** Contact your GovAssist VIP Concierge agent and provide the following to submit a claim:

**a)** Your VIP ID Number

**b)** Proof of denial of entry by a CBP officer

**c)** Proof of purchase for covered travel expenses

**d)** Proof that the payment for your covered travel expenses is non-refundable by the service provider.

Note that if the above information cannot be provided to the concierge agent, we will be unable to activate your benefit and release funds.



NEED TO APPLY  
FOR A VISA?

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VIA OUR  
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